

## **Amendment to the Abstract**

### **Abstract of the Disclosure**

A method of making second generation halftone images lacking visible interference, includes selecting an image which has been halftoned; and determining the number of tone levels required for each pixel of the halftoned image; ~~identifying a~~ A halftone cell size ~~is identified, and, arranging a dot growth pattern is arranged~~ to offset initial dot growth from the center of the halftone cell by defining sub-cells and growing the dot pattern relative to the sub-cell, ~~and growing a~~ A dot pattern in a second generation halftone of the selected image is grown.